

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

DANIELA SMEDLEY,  
Petitioner,

v.

MARK A. SMEDLEY,  
Respondent.

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**JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL CASE**  
**CASE NO. 7:14-CV-66-F**

**Decision by Court.**

This action came before the Honorable James C. Fox, Senior United States District Judge, for ruling as follows:

**IT IS ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED** that pursuant to the court's order dated 4/28/2014 [DE-27], Petitioners Verified Petition Under Hague Convention Seeking Return of Children to Petitioner, Immediate Issuance of Show Cause Order to Respondent and Hearing on the Merits [DE-1] is ALLOWED. Petitioner may file an application for attorney's fees and expenses within 21 days of the order and Respondent shall have 21 days to respond.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the Clerk of Court is DIRECTED to close this case (see order dated 4/28/2014 [DE-27]). The deadline for Petitioner to file a motion for attorney's fees and costs is STAYED pending the issuance of a mandate from the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals.

This Judgment Filed and Entered on May 1, 2014, and Copies To:

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/s/ Susan K. Edwards  
(By) Susan K. Edwards, Deputy Clerk